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DATE OF CONTENT 17 and 18 August 1950

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REMARKS

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1. A train of 41 cars, coming from Wolkersdorf northeast of Vienna, arrived at the Eisenstadt (P 48/X 55) railroad station at 12:30 a.m. on 17 August 1950. It had been due there the evening before at 8:30 p.m.

2. Thirty-seven cars of the train had shipment from Wolkersdorf and consisted of 9 passenger cars occupied by about 350 air force soldiers, 17 flatcars loaded with motor vehicles, 6 boxcars with billeting and kitchen equipment, 2 boxcars with ammunition and 3 empty boxcars as crashcars coupled in front of and behind the ammunition cars.

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A caterpillar tractor, a tractor, a trailer and a mower were also loaded on the train. * The remaining four cars had shipment from Stadlau, Vienna East, and consisted of two boxcars occupied by about 50 air force soldiers, one boxcar loaded with equipment, and one flatcar

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- * Comment. The report confirms previous information that ground units of a fighter regiment have been retransferred from Seyring to Eisenstadt. The ground units were stationed in Trausdorf.

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- ** Comment. The origin and significance of this cargo is not known.

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